## NOTICE OF FINAL DECISION TO REISSUE A HAZARDOUS WASTE MANAGEMENT PERMIT TO EAST TENNESSEE TECHNOLOGY PARK

The Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation's (TDEC) Division of Solid Waste Management (DSWM) has made a final decision to reissue a hazardous waste management permit to East Tennessee Technology Park (ETTP), owned/operated by the U.S. Department of Energy and co-operated by Bechtel Jacobs Company, LLC, EPA ID Number TN0 89 009 0004, located at Tennessee Highway 58, Blair Road, in Oak Ridge, Roane County, Tennessee 37831. The permit was reissued on September 28, 2007, and shall remain in effect until September 28, 2017, unless continued, revoked and reissued, or terminated under applicable regulations. This action follows a draft permit issued on July 25, 2007 and a 45-day public comment period which ended on September 10, 2007. Comments were received from Bechtel Jacobs, DOE Oversight, and the Division of Solid Waste Management and are addressed in the Response to Comments. No comments were received from the public during the comment period.

This renewal permit (TNHW-133) replaces the previous permit (TNHW-015A) issued to ETTP. The permit will allow the facility to continue to store and treat hazardous waste generated from onsite and approved off-site DOE facilities in accordance with the conditions of this permit as follows: Container Storage: K-1425 (49,135 gallons) and K-1435 (202,040 gallons); Tank Storage: K-1425 (90,000 gallons) and K-1435 (91,800 gallons); Container Treatment: K-1425 (3,000 kg/day) and K-1435 (6,000 kg/day); and Tank Treatment: K-1425 (540,000 gallons/day) and K-1435 (550,800 gallons/day). Container treatment methods include neutralization and stabilization, and tank treatment methods include neutralization and blending. The container and tank farm storage and treatment units are part of the TSCA incinerator facility at ETTP. The incinerator is permitted under a separate hazardous waste permit, No. THNW-015, and is not part of this permitting action.

The conditions for continued corrective action of solid waste management units (SWMUs) and areas of concern (AOCs) at the Oak Ridge Reservation (ORR) are addressed in a separate hazardous waste permit, TNHW-121. These conditions require notification of imminent hazards, and when applicable, compliance with the requirements developed under land disposal restrictions and organic emission standards.

The permit is reissued under the authority of the Tennessee Hazardous Waste Management Act of 1977, as amended, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-212-101 et seq., and Rule Chapter 1200-1-11, <u>Hazardous Waste Management</u>.

Copies of the permit, including the <u>Response to Comments</u>, are available for public inspection at the following locations: Department of Energy Oversight Division Office, 761 Emory Valley Road, Oak Ridge, TN (865-481-0995); Kingston Public Library, 1004 Bradford Way, Kingston, TN (865-376-9905); DOE Information Center, 475 Oak Ridge Turnpike, Oak Ridge, TN (865-576-0885); and the Oak Ridge Public Library, Civic Center, 1401 Oak Ridge Turnpike, Oak Ridge, TN (865-425-3455). These materials are also available for public inspection during normal business hours, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, except legal holidays, at the TDEC Knoxville Environmental Field Office, Public Access Area, 3711 Middlebrook Pike, Knoxville, TN 37921 (865-594-6035).

For further information, contact: Ms. Rita A. Swett; Treatment, Storage and Disposal Section; Division of Solid Waste Management; TDEC; 5th Floor, L & C Tower; 401 Church Street; Nashville, TN 37243-1535; telephone 615-532-0828, Fax 615-532-0886 or e-mail rita.swett@state.tn.us.

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Persons who wish to be on DSWM's mailing list should request a <u>Mailing List Request</u> form by calling or writing: Public Participation Officer; Division of Solid Waste Management; Tennessee TDEC; 5th Floor, L & C Tower; 401 Church Street; Nashville, TN 37243-1535; telephone 615-532-0798; or e-mail <u>Solid.Waste@state.tn.us</u>.

## RIGHTS OF APPEAL

The administrative and judicial review of this final permit is pursuant under the Tennessee Uniform Administrative Procedures Act, T.C.A. Sections 4-5-317 and 4-5-222 and the Hazardous Waste Management Act, T.C.A. 68-212-113 and Tennessee Rule 1200-1-11-.07(7)(k).

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